UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT EASTERN DISTRICT OF NORTH CAROLINA SOUTHERN DIVISION

NO: 7:09-CR-00162-BR

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA)	
v.)	
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JOHN ASHLEY DAVIS)	

This matter is before the court on defendant's *pro se* motion for return of his 2004 Ford F-150 truck. (DE # 132.) According to the government's response, the truck was seized in conjunction with a federal investigation and is currently in the impound lot of the Duplin County Sheriff's Department. (DE # 133.) The government does not object to the release of the truck, and the response represents that Duplin County does not either. Accordingly, the motion is ALLOWED. It is hereby ORDERED that the subject 2004 Ford F-150 truck be released to defendant or to any person authorized in writing by him to retrieve it. It is further ORDERED that should the vehicle not be retrieved by defendant or his representative within 60 days of this order, the United States or Duplin County may treat it as abandoned property, disposing of it in accordance with applicable law. The Clerk is DIRECTED to serve a certified copy of this order on the Duplin County Sheriff's Department.

This 3 January 2014.

W. Earl Britt

Senior U.S. District Judge